IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS SHERMAN DIVISION

MARK HAMMERVOLD,

Plaintiff,

v.

DIAMONDS DIRECT USA OF DALLAS, LLC, DAVID BLANK, DIAMOND CONSORTIUM, INC. D/B/A THE DIAMOND DOCTOR, and JEWELERS MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY,

Defendants.

Case No.: 4:20-cv-00165-ALM

STIPULATION OF DISMISSAL OF DEFENDANTS

Plaintiff Mark Hammervold ("Plaintiff") and Defendants David Blank, Diamond Consortium, Inc. d/b/a The Diamond Doctor (collectively, "The Diamond Doctor Defendants"), and Jewelers Mutual Insurance Company ("Jewelers Mutual") file this Stipulation of Dismissal pursuant to Federal Rules of Civil Procedure 41.

- 1. Plaintiff filed suit against The Diamond Doctor Defendants and Jewelers Mutual seeking damages for conspiracy, malicious prosecution, and abuse of process.
- 2. Plaintiff, The Diamond Doctor Defendants and Jewelers Mutual have reached a settlement. Plaintiff now moves to dismiss all of his claims against The Diamond Doctor Defendants and Jewelers Mutual.
- 3. This case is not a class action, or a derivative action, nor has a receiver been appointed.
- 4. None of the live Parties have dismissed a prior action based on or including the same claims presented in this suit. Plaintiff Mark Hammervold entered a stipulation of partial dismissal against Defendant Diamonds Direct USA of Dallas, LLC on August 15, 2020. [Dkt. # 39].

5. Plaintiff's dismissal is with prejudice. Each party has agreed to pay their own litigation costs, including but not limited to attorneys' fees.

Dated: September 30, 2021.

Respectfully submitted,

By: <u>/s/ Mark Hammervold</u> (with permission)

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